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THE PARSON'S HOLIDAY.

During the last days of August all Oldtown has been in a condition of feverish excitement to know whether Parson Lawrence would come home at the time appointed. "His holiday was only for the month of August," Deacon Suttler said at the village store, "but Heaven knows but he'll stretch it another week, leavin' us to pay the supply on Sunday. The old man's got a bee in his bunnet, an' ther's no knowin' where it'll lead him.

Smith, the grocer, nodded emphatically as he tied up a pound of sugar for the widow Potts. "It was your doings, Deacon. City ways, city ways! Our pastor must be off like the others to rest after his hard work. We'll have stained glass and choir boys next. Rest. Indeed! Writing two bits of sermons a week! If he'd stood behind the counter shoveling out coffee and sugar the year round !" The widow Potts said nothing but she thought of her year of drudgery over the sewing machine and the parson's work seemed very light to her, indeed. She "could have stood up and talked for an hour twice a week if she had the college edication," she said at home. "Talkin' of the laws of the Jews and the old Romans and prophecies! There's mighty small amount of food for my soul in such talk, anyhow." There are many more of the congregation who, when they saw the parson's grey head among the passengers in the old red coach, remembered it was Saturday night and wondered when he meant to write his next day's sermon. He always took half

the week to write one. When the parson went away in the red coach his heart was heavy within him. The other passengers kept aloof from the gloomy old man with his meek eyes and sharp, tired voice. He had not been out of the Oldtown circuit for ten years. It was the new member, Porter, who had given him the money for this holidas. "Go find some grist for the mill," he said, "other-wise it will grind nothing but dust." Grist? It occurred to the old man for the first time in his life that something more was needed for his work than earnest endeavor and prayers. His salary was too small for him to buy books or current literature. His reading was confined to a small theological library which he had l owned for years, and a weekly religious newspaper. Year in and year out he talked with would be pleased to furnish them with anything the half dozen brethren and sisters of his own in their line. Having made arrangements at church, and the dozen families outside. He their house, on Market space, by fitting up ICE knew every crook and cranny of their characters, as they did his; they were exaggerated in each other's eyes as bugs in a microscope. They shaped and measured all the great Christian graces by their own inch rule. Charity was represented by the annual fair in the lecture room for the cause of missions, and Faith by the vigor with which they sent all the world outside of their own sect to perdition. Vague rumors reached them of great movements in this religious body and that, but Sister Potts and Brother Suttler only shook their heads

and talked of the unregenerate. The Evil

Spirit was typified to the village by drunken

old Drum, who was a very unhopeful case it is

true, but still human. There was a good deal of discussion as to where the parson should go for his holiday. Many of the brethren wished that he should improve it by making a collecting tour, begging money for a new steeple; others recommended some of the large religious gatherings at the seashore or mountains. But the parson, once awakened by the word "grist," took the mat-ter into his own hand. "I am going a "fishing," he said. "I used to go fishing when I was a boy, and it will do me good to be a boy again." So he went fishing, tramped over the mountains, stood to the waist in water, forgot his trout as he looked up to the great hights or listened to the thunder among them. The petty gossip and carking, moldy cares of the village slipped away from his mind and left it S. J. REED and J. A. CUNNINGHAM. fresh and free. It seemed to him that he could bear now in the thunder in the solemn hight, in the movement of the little wind flower in the grass, the words of his omnipotent gracious Master, "Be not afraid; it is I." never had heard them in the moldy books or weekly newspaper. He tied up his rod and line and went to a little seaside watering place. There were not more people there than in his own church, but they were of many differing kinds. There were Jews, Roman Catholics, Unitarians, Friends. He threw himself into all their fun and work, and as far as he could into their thoughts. It was a genial, jolly time. He discovered come good, graciou woman, some clever fellow, every day. He woke every morning with fresh astonishment that there were so many good people in the world. Some of them, whose names were akin to Atheist in his creed, were devout, God-fearing men and women, with their ideas of Him and their brother men based on broader, more lib-

There was a terrible accident during his stay; a man drowned, his wife and children left helpless; and in the sudden surge of feeling which laid bare every heart about him in the tenderness, the humanity, the Christ-like pity and help which came to the widow and orphans, he bekan to understand the meaning of the word brother as his Master used it, not as customary mode of living whilst taking the remit was bandied about in Oldsown.

eral ground than he had ever known.

The parson is glad, however, to be at home again. He springs down from the old red stage with his eyes sparkling and his face so full of laughter and happiness that Oldtown is startled -even shocked. Oldsown is of a funereal turn of mind. He does not think of preparing a sermon. He has so much to say-his heart so burns within him, that the Sabbath day seems all too short. There is not a word of theology or the old Jaws in it either. It is the homeliest sort of talk. But when they come out of church everybody stops to shake hands and exchange a hearty greeting. It is as if they had been somewhere with the fresh wind blowing, and the sun shining, and God himself near at hand. - N. Y. Tribune.

FARMERS' FRIEND PLOWS

Having taken the agency for the "FARM-ERS' FRIEND" PLOWS and CASTINGS, manufactured by Hunter & Frost, Fredericksburg, I am prepared to furnish the same, by wholesale and retail, to Grange clubs or others

WORSTED FRINGES! wholesale and retail, to Grange clubs or others at the usual discount for cash.

THOMAS PERRY, aug 26-1m 17 King street. GREEN GINGER for sale by J. C. & E. I J. C. & E. MILBURN.

BOOKSAND STATIONERY.

SCHOOL BOOKS! AND

SCHOOL REQUISITES, of every description, at

French's, No. 95 King street

Just received a full supply of all the books authorized by the State Board for use in the public schools.

School and College Text Books, English and Classical, at publishers' prices.

Slates, Pencils, Composition Books, Book Carriers, School Satchels, Pens, Penholders and every school requisite for a complete outfit.

New styles Papeteries just received, containing the very fixest English and French Paper and Envelopes: a great variety of patterns and

and Envelopes; a great variety of patterns and colors; very handsome.

New Books Jaily. Constantly on hand all the leading Magazines and Reviews, American

and Foreign.

Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals in beautiful styles of binding.

Fine Portemonnies and Card Cases, in Russia

Leather, Turkey Merocco and Seal Skin; Russia Satchels and Travelling Brgs
The finest American, English and French Stationery, all the latest styles.

Just received a full line of Blank Books, all sizes-Journals, Ledgers, Day Books, Cash Books, Medium, Demy, Crown and Cap, full

and half bound, Memorandums, Pass Books, Indexes. Owing to the new postal law increasing the postage on packages of merchandise from half cent to one cent per ounce, the price of lot No. 1, five quires, Note Paper, prepaid, will be 35c; lot No. 2, 50c; lot No. 3, 65c; lot No. 4, 80c and

\$1; French Quadrille same price.
Initial Notes, a great variety of styles and prices. Pierie's finest French Rep Papers and Envelopes to match.

Paper, Envelopes, Books, Magazines, Reviews, etc., mailed to any part of the country. GEO. E. FRENCH, 95 King street, Alexandria, Va.

FISH, SYSTE as, &c.

OYSTERS.

We keep constantly an hand the BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS. All orders promptly attended to by the old established house of J. H. McLEAN & CO.,

No. 77 Prince street, Opp. the Gazette office, Alexandria, Va. sep 3-4m

A NDREW DELLA,

DEALER IN OYSTERS, No. 23 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va. OYSTERS received daily by steamer.
All orders promptly filled. Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. в. вмітн & со.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE, FISH,
OYSTERS AND GAME,

Would inform their friends and the public that BOXES, we are prepared to furnish MELONS, FISH and CLAMS from our ice boxes at all hours of the day and night, and all who favor us with their trade can depend on getting them fresh at all times. W. H. SMITH & CO. jy 23-2m

RECEIVED THIS DAY.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, new. 100 bbls Split Labrador Herring. 100 bbls Extra New Gibbed do. 100 bbls "Round do. 100 bbls " Round of 500 boxes Smoked Herring. Round do.

100 kits No. 1 Mess Mackerel. 100 kits Nos. 2 and 3 do. New Salmon, Cod, Hake and Halibut in store and for sale by S. J. REED & CO., 22 Union street. aug 4

REMOVAL.

S. J. REED Announces to his friends and customers that he has removed his stock of POTOMAC SHAD and HERRINGS to NOS. 22 UNION ST. and II SOUTH WHARVES, where, in connection with his former fish business, he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of RASTERN FISH.

Has now on hand 600 bbls different grades of Fish, consisting of GROSS and NET SHAD, MESS SHAD in kits, FAMILY ROE HER-RING, barreled MACKEREL, MESS MACK-EREL in kits, and SPLIT and ROUND HER. RINGS, to which he invites the attention of the

The business will in future be conducted by

EXCURSIONS, PICNICA, 8c.

MAMP MEETING AT WARRENTON SPRINGS.

There will be rented privately at the Warrenton Springs all privileges, such as hotels, livery, hucksters' cabins, and other privileges; also to parties desiring to remain during the camp, I have many cabins and rooms to rent, ready furnished. The said camp will commence on the 11TH

OF SEPTEMBER, and last ten days. For further particulars address Dr. A. HARRIS, se 2-td Warrenton Springs, Fauquier co., Va.

LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST-Lost from the sloop River Queen, lying at the wharf in Washington, on Monday, the 28d ultimo, a newly-trimmed YELLOW SCOTCH TERRIER DOG. A reward of \$5 will be paid for its return to Captain RICHARD McKENNEY, at Petty's Restaurant. Alexandria.

MATIN AGUE MIXTURE Will Positively Cure CHILLS AND FEVER!

This Mixture contains nothing whatever that can injure the general health, nor is it disagreeable to the taste. It is composed of the finest edy. It is a pleasant tonic, and if taken in small quantities before breakfast each day will prevent chills and fever in localities where miasma prevails. It will be found that Matin Ague Mixture excites an appetite and improves the general health. For children as well as adults, it will be found a most effectual and pleasant remedy. Price \$1 50 per bottle.

JANNEY & CO., Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers, 145 King st., Alexandria, Va.

BOARDING-BOARD, WITH OR WITH-OUT FURNISHED ROOMS, in a desirable portion of the city, can be obtained at the corner of Washington and Queen streets. The house has just been newly returnished through-out; the rooms are pleasant and airy, and the neighborhood unexceptionable. Mrs. WILKINS.

BACON!

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Co's brands or Maryland and Lord Baltimore Hams, all sizes; Reynold's & Ely's star brand; also small Sugar-cured Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces.
W. A. JOHNSON, Corner Pitt and Queen streets. sep 4

Just received a beautiful line of Worsted Fringes in every shade at se 4 PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S. PRIME HONEY in the comb for sale by jv 30 J. C. & E. MILBURN J. C. & E. MILBURN. mh 22 DRY GOODS.

CADET CLOTH! CADET CLOTH

We have just received and can furnish suits of the above goods very the p, at the shortest no-tice, and guarantee a good fit. aug 23 NEW GOODS.

I have received another lot of Superior Black Grenadines,

French Muslins, White Linen Lawns for dresses,

Sun Umbrellas and Parasols for ladies, Gents' Superior Silk Umbrellas. Also a lot of extra quality Straw Matting and Oil Cloths, and Cocoa Matting for halls. jy 17 J. M. STEWART. jy 17 PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS. June 28th, 1875.

Another invoice of those choice goods just re-

ceived from the manufacturer.
D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. AT PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S.

Beautiful patterns of HAMBURG NET fer overskirts, with LACES to match.

New styles of FRENCH, CORDED and PLAIN LAWNS.

Also a beautiful line of LAWNS at 12½ cts. per yard.

SUN UMBRELLAS

PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S. Latest styles, heavy twilled Silk, in shades of Blue, Brown and Black, with Pearl and Ivory

NEW GOODS-We are in daily receipt of new goods, keeping our stock well assorted. We invite purchasers, either at wholesals or retail, to inspect our goods before purchasing.

jy 10

D. F. WITMER CO.

REDUCED PRICES ON DRESS GOODS. We have just returned from New York with a full line of the latest styles of DRESS GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES.

We cannot give any idea by names of the goods, but would cordially invite an examina-GRENADINES, in Plaids and Stripes, Plain Black and in Colors.

Also GENAPINES in the same.

PLAID LINEN SUITINGS, something new.

Our stock is large and our prices are low. my 13 D. F. WITMER CO. The PIECES RIBBON, in Blue, Pink and Cherry, at 122c, worth 30c, at FERGUSON & BRO'S., my 8

Mattings, oil cloths and

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETINGS.
I have just received 4-4 White Mattings, some of superior quality. Also Checked Table and Floor Oil Cloths, dotted for steps. Brussells Stair Carpet and Hall do. to match. my 7 J. M. STEWART.

August 13, 1875.

BARGAINS IN SUMMER AND SPRING
DRESS GOODS.
We are selling Pink, Blue and other Colored Grenadines at 124 and 163e, worth 25, 374 and 50c per yard. We are closing out our Lawns and Organdies at 12½ and 20c, worth 25 and 37½c per yard; also beautiful yard-wide Percales and Batiste Suitings at 12tc per yard. We offer these inducements to make room for a large stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery, &c. D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. HOOMES. No. 10.1 King street, aug 13 Alexandria, Va.

HAIR BRUSHES, COMBS and TOILET ARTICLES. Also a full line of JEWELRY, MILLINE-RY ORNAMENTS and NOTIONS.

Also THOMPSON'S GLOVE FITTING and

BEST IMPORTED CORSETS FERGUSON & BRO., 96 king street.

SHIRT FRONTS! SHIRT FRONTS!
We have just received a large assortment of the above goods in all grades and at low prices at FERGUSON & BRO'S. 96 King street. my 27

WORSTED DRESS FRINGES.
Received this day, per express, twenty pieces of Caterpillar Fringes, in all shades, at

BENSON'S CELERY and CHAMOMILE PILLS. These Pills are prepared expressly to cure

Headache, Neuralgia and Nervousness. For sale by [je 30] WARFIELD & HALL. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A FRESH EUCHINGS, and a variety of other Notions, at FERGUSON & BRO'S., 96 King street.

DINEAPPLE, EDAM and SAPSAGO CHERSE for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

SMALL HAMS—3 tierces Maryland and Anchor brands just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN, 19 north Royal street

BUTTER-20 tubs New York Goshen But-

THOMAS PERRY, 17 King street. FLOUR-50 bbls Cone & Weston's Choice

Family Flour, and 50 bbls D. H. Baggarly's do., for sale by WASHINGTON & BRO. SUPERIOR RASPBERRY SYRUP re-ceived this day and for sale cheap at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES. jy 17

JANNEY'S NEW PROCESS FAMILY FLOUR received to-day by J. C. & E. MILBURN, No. 19 north Royal st.

GAIL, Borden and Alderney brands CON-DENSED MILK, fresh, for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. CANNED PEAS, Canned Lima Beans and Canned Lobster in store and for sale at 147

King street. WM. F. BROOKES. jy 17 DURE CIDER VINEGAR for sale by J. C. & E. MILBUKN, 19 north Royal street.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR-100 barrels Occoquan Family Flour, new process, for sale by [aug 13] WASHINGTON & BRO. STARCH-30 boxes Duryea's, Kindsford's and Enkenbrecher's Starch just received by J. C & E. MILBURN. CHEAP SHIRT FRONTS—Another large lot of those cheap all Linen Fronts from 163c up. [my 29] D. F. WITMER CO.

FLOUR-100 bbls Manck's high grade Extra Flour for sale by WASHINGTON & BRO. aug 14

COLD WATER SOAP for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, jy 24 Corner King and St. Asaph streets. BLUE NEW ORLEANS LINEN PLAIDS, two styles, just opened.
D. F. WITMER CO. SHOT, all sizes, just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN,

aug 24 19 north Royal st. CHEAP SUGARS for sale by J. C. & E. MILBURN aug 13 19 north Royal street. DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.



Prepared by XANTHINE CO., Proprietors, Richmond, Yu. Price \$1 per bottle. Send for Circulars.

[From Rev. E. T. Baird, Secretary of Publication of Presbyterian Church South.]

RICHMOND, July 27, 1874. The Xanthine is the only hair dressing I have ever used which has removed the dandruff from the scalp and made my hair soft and pliable. It has also restored my hair to its natural color : and by occasionally using it as a hair dressing, I have no doubt it will preserve the color. E. T. BAIRD.

]From Rev. Charles H. Head, D. D., Pastor Grace street Presbyterian Church,] RICHMOND, July 20, 1874.

At the suggestion and presentation of a friend, I have used one bottle of Prof. Hertz's Hair Restorative, "Xanthine." It has accomplished in a very brief time and without any perceptible unpleasant or injurious effects, all that is claimed for it as a restorer of the natural color of hair turning gray.

CHAS. H. READ.

[From J. W. Lockwood, Cashier, National Bank of Virginia.] RICHMOND, VA., June 25, 1874. Dear Sir-I used on my hair about one third of a bottle of the Xanthine, and the result has

been its restoration to its original color.

J. W. LOCK WOOD. To the Proprietor of the "Xanthine:" I have occasionally used your compound, known as "Xanthine," with results perfectly satisfac ory as to cleaning the scalp, strengthenng the hair and restoring its color.

Respectfully yours, W.M. B. ISAACS,

President Bank of Commerce.

JANNEY & CO.,

WHOLESALE AGENTS, ALEXA., VA. sepl-1m

W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS,
GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c., No. 85 King street, (under Sarepta Hall,)
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compound-

ESTABLISHED 1792, LEADBEATER & BRO.

ed. Orders will receive prompt attention.

DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS. SPICES, ACIDS, &c., Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st., Alexandria, Va.

SAMUEL H. JANNEY. MAHLON H. JANNEY. JANNEY & CO.,

DRALKES IN
PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD,
Paints, Oils and Varnishes,
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY.

No. 145 King street. Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to.

PURNIP SEEDS! TURNIP SEEDS! We have just received our first supply of LANDRETH'S FRESH AND GENUINE TURNIP SEEDS,

of the following varieties, viz: EARLY FLAT DUTCH. PURPLE TOP WHITE FLAT. YELLOW RUTA BAGA. ABERDEEN.

AMBER GLOBE. Also CUCUMBER and SPINACH SEEDS.

jy 17 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

NEW GOODS FOR AUGUST SALE.
Wednesday, August 18.
To Country Merchants—We have taken advantage of a depressed Northern market and purchased large lines of heavy staple DRY GOODS at down prices in anticipation of an active and healthy fall trade, and invite country merchants and others to call or send their orders.
H. B. HOOMES D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. HOOMES 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. aug 18

MORE NEW DRY GOODS July 5th, 1875.

We open to day a full line of Fancy and Staple Goods, purchased at greatly reduced prices, and will be sold at popular rates. Country merchants are specially invited to send their orders

or come in person and examine stock.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. HOUMES, 109 King street, Alexandria. (1REAM SODA,

COLD, SPARKLING AND WELL

FLAVORED. Pronounced by critics superior to any drink ever offered to the public.

At WARFIELD & HALL'S, jy 8 Prince and Fairfax streets. CARBOLIC CAMPHOR FOR MOTHS.

The above article is cheaper and more reliable than common Camphor for the preservation of Furs, Carpets and Woolen Goods of all descriptions. In packages at 25 and 50 cents each. The trade supplied at manufacturers' prices by W. F. CREIGHTON,

General Agent for Alexandria. THORN'S INFALLIBLE OINTMENT WILL CURE SCROFULA ERYSIPELAS, TETTER,

RING WORMS, BARBERS' ITCH, Or any other eruption of the skin. Just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL. je 19

A VERILL CHEMICAL PAINT-mixed ready for use—We have just made large additions to our stock of the above celebrated Paints. Sample card of colors, with rule for ascertaining the amount required for any building, can be obtained upon application. For sale at factory prices by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. Agents for Alexandria.

MORE NEW DRESS GOODS-May 31st. 1875-We open to-day a line of the cheapest Iron Frame Grenadines ever offered in this market, ranging in price from 37½c, 45c, 50c, 62½c and upwards. Also beautiful high lustre Alpacas at 37½c, 45c, 50c, &c., &c. All first class standard Calicoes at 10c. D. F. ERASHEAR,

No. 109 King street.

HAT SCARF, in all the desirable shades.
Also a full line of Windsor and Lace Ties, At FERGUSON & BRO'S., 96 King street. Non-shrinking shaker flan-NEL. Just received, "for early sales," a full line of

the above desirable goods at very low prices.
D. F. BRASHEAR, aug 27 No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. BENSON'S PILLS, for Neuralgia and Headache, received this day at mh 22 W. F. CREIGHTON'S.

RIME NEW NO. 1 MACKEREL, just received by G. WM. RAMSAY, augst Corner King and St. Asaph streets. Corner King and St. Asaph streets. | sep 2 FERTILIZERS.

EXCELLENZA

I have been selling this Standard Fertilizer for the past four years, and can recommend it with entire confidence as a first class article. The material of which it is composed is of a durable character, and furnishes all the necessary plant food for the cultivation of Wheat, Tobacco and Garden Vegetables. IT IS IN FINE DRY POWDER, READY

FOR DRILLING, its mechanical condition being equal to that of any Fertilizer in this or any

PRICE \$48 PER TON OF 2000 LBS. FOR SALE BY

THOS. PERRY. 17 King street.

CLARKE'S AMMONIATED



The price of this deservedly popular Fertilizer

FIFTY DOLLARS PER TON. In mechanical condition and quality EXCEL-SIOR is the conceded standard of excellence, and competitive tests for seventeen years have established its superiority for all soils and for all crops. Apply to aug 14

R. M. LAWSON. TO FARMERS.

LIME, FOR AGRICULTURAL PUR-POSES,

for sale at TWO CENTS PER BUSHEL, at the Gas Works, foot of G street, Washington, D. C.

CTANDARD FERTILIZERS.

We offer the following popular Fertilizers at reduced prices:
OBER'S "AA" GUANO; \$55. AMMONIATED SUP. PHOSPHATE, \$45. BLOOD GUANO-PURE BLOOD AND

BONE, \$54. EUREKA AMMONIATED SUP. PHOS-GUANAHANI GUANO, \$35. For particulars and Circulars, containing tes-

timonials, apply to HOOE & JOHNSTON, Agents, aug 6 $\mathbf{R}^{\mathtt{EDUCTION}}$ in price of ober's guano. GUANO. AA Guano, \$55; Ammoniated Super Phosphate, \$45. We offer these well known Fertili-

timonials, on application.
HOUE & JOHNSTON, Agents, RELIABLE FERTILIZERS.



NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO. 200 tons to arrive, dry, bright and in excellent condition.— This is from the best cargo in agent's hands, conthan any other cargo.-All in want are invited to examine this lot before purchasing, as they will not find any Guano equal to it now in agent's

E. FRANK COE'S SUPER PHOSPHATE. FINE GROUND BLUE WINDSOR PLAS-

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS.
HERBERT BRYANT, No. 25 King street.

H UBBELL'S SEA SALT, for producing a Also Perfume Atomizer, a valuable little instrument for perfuming clothing, &c. For sale by je 29 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

ADET CLOTH! CADET CLOTH! We have just received a supply of CADET CLOTH, and can now furnish suits at the shortest notice. [augl8] D. F. WITMER CO. PERSONS wishing a pure COD LIVER OIL can get it at W. A. JOHNSON, 44 corner Pitt and Queen streets, who gets it direct from the Fulton market fish dealers, in New York.

Price 50c per bottle. 1000 LBS GENUINE OLD GOVin mats, just received and for sale by aug 16 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

PAINTS, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Ready mixed Averill Paint and Roofling Paint, a large stock in store and for sale at lowest rates by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. RAW SUGARS-P. R. and V. P.-at RE-DUCED PRICES at G. WM. RAMSAY'S,

Corner King and St. Asaph sts. EGG and BUTTER POWDER, a perfect substitute for Eggs and Butter, in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, for sale by my 22 147 King street. CURRANT JELLY—An imported article, and very fine, for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY,

Corner King and St. Asaph sts. TN SEASON-Green Ginger, White Mustard Seed, Ground and Stick Cinnamon, received by [sepl] DAVY & HARMON. RUMFORD'S, Wilson's and Patapsco Yeast and Baking Powders for sale by W. A. JOHNSON,

44 cor. Pitt and Queen streets. CLICED HAM, Chipped Beef and a full as-Cut Bacon kept by W. A. JOHNSON,

AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE—Default having been made in the payment of some of the notes secured by the deed of trust from John T. Davis to the undersigned, dated July 1st, 1873, and recorded in liber No. 3, folio 344, of the land records of Alexandria Corporation Court, the undersigned will, by virtue of the power conferred by said deed of trust, sell by public aug tion, on SATURDAY, September 25th, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Market House, on Royal street, in Alexandria city. Va. that LOT OF GROUND, with the FRAME DWELLING HOUSE thereon, lying on the north side of Commerce, between Payne and West streets, and now occupied by the said John T. Davis. The lot has a front of twenty five fect on Commerce street, and with that breadth extends back to a twelve feet alley.

For a more particular description of the above property and the title which the undersigned tien, on SATURDAY, September 25th, 1875, at

property and the title which the undersigned will sell and convey, reference is hereby made to the said deed. Terms of Sale : One hundred dollars of the

purchase money in cash, and the residue upon a credit of one, two and three years, secured by the purchaser's bond, with surety, and a deed of trust on the property. Cost of conveyancing to be borne by the purchaser. sep 3-ts D. L. SMOOT, Trustee.

greatly improved in quality and mechanical condition.

I sold largely of it during the last Spring season, and have yet to hear of a single complaint of its action. Price \$45 per ton of 2000 lbs. For sale by

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17 King street.

J. J. TURNER & CO'S. in the city of Alexandria, that VALUA-BLE PROPERTY on which said Sceva in ow resides, embraced within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the intersection of Washington and Wolfe streets, and running the page out the walls with Washington streets. ning thence southwardly with Washington st, and binding thereon to the north line of the Lancasterian school house; thence estwardly and parallel to Wolfestreet ighty-eight (88) feet and six (6) inches; theree southward with the eastern boundary of said school house and a lot of ground conveyed by Samuel H. Marsteller to the Common Council of Alexandria; thence eastwardly thirty-lear (34) extand eleven (11) inches to the line of property owned by the Quaker meeting; theme northwardly with a line parallel to Wassing on street to Woife street; thence westwardly with Wolfe street, and binding thereen one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet and life (5) is less to the place of beginning. There is on the premises a good THEEE-STORY BRICK HOUSE, with good summer and winter kitcher group replet thereto.

and winter kitchen convenient thereto. Terms of Sale: One half the purchase money to be paid in cash; the residue at twelve months, to be secured by deed of trust on the premises. Selling as Trustee, I shall convey such title as is vested in me by the deed, which is believed to be unquestionable. C. F. SUTTLE, aug31-eots

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FOR SALE. Under the authority of the decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Virginia, in the suit of Roach's executors vs. Roach's devisees, passed at the May term, 1875, of said court, the undersigned, who was appointed commismissioner for that purpose, will sell at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of Sep tember, 1875, at 12 m., at the east front of the Market House, in the city of Alexandria, Va, the property in said county, known as "PROS-PECT HILL," late the residence of James Roach, dec'd., on the south side of the Arling-

ton turnpike, and on the west side of the Alexandria Canal, binding on both, containing about TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR About 140 acres of it is rich bottom land, valuable for agricultural purposes, and especially valuable for its rich deposits of brick clay. The remaining 84 acres extend to the top of the bluff and front on the county road from Alexandria to Georgetown. On this is a LARGE BRICK MANSION, with Sta-

bles and all necessary outbuildings, the site being unsurpassed by any in the county, or its vi-The estate has been surveyed and divided into a number of parcels, one of 50 acres, embracing the Mansion House, &c.; another of 44 acres, in zers at greatly reduced prices, and will furnish any information and Circulars, containing testhe bettom, with Frame House, Barn, &c., on the same; another of 35 acres, in the bottom, with no buildings.

A number of small lots, binding on the canal, each containing about 7 agres, and other parcels.
In addition to the foregoing, also, a TRACT
OF LAND, in said county, on Four Mile Run,
on the county road from Alexandria to George-BRYANT'S BONE town, about equi-distant from Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown, containing about 36 a. 0 r. 11 p. This place has a valuable WA-TER POWER, for either a mill or a factory,

and the land is of fair quality.

Terms: Twenty per cent of purchase money cash; the residue in three equal instalments, at six, twelve and eighteen months, respectively, with interest, to be secured by bonds of the purtaining 12 per cent of chaser, with good personal security. Title to be ammonia—2 per ct. more retained until full payment of purchase morey, and land to be resold at purchaser's risk on default in meeting bonds at maturity.
S. FERGUSON BEACH,

Commissioner.

FINE LOUDOUN FARMS FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION. Will be sold, at public auction, on SATUR-DAY, September 25th, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., at Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va., the TWO FARMS of the late Robert C. Bowman, dec'd., situated about 31 miles from Middleburg, and 1 mile from Mountsville, Loudoun county, Va., containing in both places about 384 acres-200 acres in one, and 181 acres in the other. Each place has comfortable improvements, and is sep-

arated only by a road.

The land is first class, well adapted to the working of machinery, and has upon it a sufficiency of good timber, running water, &c. The neighborhood is first class in every particular, and is one of the most beautiful portions of Vizginia, having an abundance of good schools, churches, mills, &c. A great bargain in these lands may be expected, as they will most positively be sold for a division among the legatees, all of whom live in other States Immediate possession of the land given for seeding purposes.

Terms will be liberal, and made known on day of sale. For further information address GEO. H. SLAUGHTER, Agent for the heirs, St. Bethlehem, Tenn., or Col. L. CHANCELLOR, Middleburg, Virginia.

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